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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Schwarz
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For: *METHODS OF FACILITATING VASCULAR GROWTH IN CARDIAC
MUSCLE AND METHODS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF RECOMBINANT
EMAP II*

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Examiner: Janet L. Epps Ford

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Dear Sir/Madam:

Applicant provides the present Amendment to address the issues raised in the Office Action mailed November 3, 2003. Applicant respectfully requests entry of this Amendment and allowance of the present application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.